AGENDA

CONNECTICUT BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN PODIATRY

Wednesday, December 14, 2011, at 10:00 AM
Department of Public Health
410 Capitol Avenue, Hartford CT
Hearing Room – Third Floor

CALL TO ORDER

I. Minutes

Review and approval of the minutes from September 7, 2011.

II. <u>Department of Public Health Updates</u>

- A. <u>Licensure</u>
 - Jennifer Filippone, Section Chief, Office of Practitioner Licensing and Investigation
- B. <u>Investigations Update</u>
 - Gary Griffin, Practitioner Investigation Unit, Department of Public Health

III. New Business

Schedule meeting dates for 2012.

IV. <u>Additional Agenda Items</u>

ADJOURN

The **Connecticut Board of Examiners in Podiatry** held a meeting on September 7, 2011 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, Third Floor Hearing Room, Hartford, Connecticut.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Martin M. Pressman, DPM, Chairman

Vita Hardy

Leo Veleas, DPM

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Reanne Curtis - via telephone conference

Richard Cutler, DPM - via telephone conference

ALSO PRESENT: Jeffrey Kardys, Board Liaison/Administrative Hearings

Gary Griffin, Investigations Supervisor, DPH

Dr. Pressman called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m.

I. Minutes

The minutes from the June 8, 2011 meeting were reviewed. Dr. Veleas made a motion, seconded by Ms. Hardy, to approve the minutes. The motion passed unanimously.

II. <u>Department of Public Health Updates</u>

A. <u>Investigations Update</u>

Gary Griffin, Investigations Supervisor, Department of Public Health reported that four cases are currently being investigated by the Department of Public Health. Two additional cases has been referred to the Department's Legal Office.

The Department of Public Health has looked into the issue of recent advertisements regarding "Pedorthists" and has decided there will be no further review at this time. The Board requests that Kathleen Boulware, from the Department of Public Health Practitioner Investigation Unit attend the next meeting to explain the Department's position.

III. Other Business

The Board requested that an Assistant Attorney General attend the next Board meeting to discuss the potential of a declaratory ruling to define commercial foot appliance

IV. Adjournment

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:18 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Martin M. Pressman, DPM, Chairman Connecticut Board of Examiners in Podiatry